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The Honorable Joseph J. Farnan
U.S. District Court
844 N. King Street
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RE: Pettingill, et al. v. Delaware SPCA, et al.
C.A. No. 05-224

Your Honor:

I am in receipt of the Court's Memorandum Order dated August 21, 2006 in the above-referenced matter. Please be advised that John Caldwell, the Director of the Delaware SPCA, is currently on vacation, and I will be in Arkansas for depositions the rest of the week. Therefore, I am not currently in the position to discuss the Order with my client, and act in compliance with the Court's Order. Based upon the above, the Defendants request that the deadline for taking action with respect to the Order, including the production of the documents, or a Motion for Clarification or for Re-Argument, be extended until September 1, 2006. I have discussed this matter with Karen Sullivan, Esquire, attorney for the Plaintiffs, and she has no objection to such extension. If a formal Stipulation is necessary, the parties will so provide one to the Court. If the Court has any questions or concerns, counsel is available at the Court's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,



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